

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicants:

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METHOD FOR PROCESSING ALUMINIUM IN A ROTARY

OR A REVERBERATING FURNACE

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YANG, JIE

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 24, 2008, please reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.